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1. Applicants hereby request a **two-month extension of time** to respond to the Office Action dated November 18, 2004, which set a **three-month** period for response, or until February 18, 2005. The extended period for response expires on April 18, 2005. Please charge the **\$450.00** two-month extension fee to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon, **Deposit Account 11-0600**.

2. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

3. A duplicate of this form is enclosed for charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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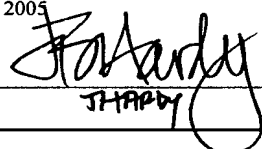
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action of November 18, 2004, please amend the above-referenced application without prejudice as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.